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1. [] Returned to Ed Braswell, Chief Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee, a Xerox copy of the transcript of Mr. Colby's confirmation hearing of 2 July with all corrections made. See Memorandum for the Record.

In talking about the budget hearing before the CIA Subcommittee next Tuesday Braswell mentioned that Senator Symington would want a transcript but did not want this discussed with the Agency in advance. Braswell and I agreed that we would have a security escort available to accompany the short-hand reporter to Ward and Paul to transcribe the record.

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He also mentioned that Senator Symington might want to take up the question of [] in the executive session.

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2. [] Hand-carried to the Senate Armed Services Committee three inserts provided by EA Division for insertion in the record of the CIA/DOD briefing on Laos on 27 June. I also entered in the original transcript corrections of Agency testimony given me by []

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3. [] NSA, called to double check on the scheduled briefings of the Senate Appropriations Committee on 11 July and 12 July. I told him that as far as I knew the briefings were still on and I would let him know if I knew of any change.

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[] also mentioned that NSA had received an inquiry from Chairman Ichord, House Internal Security Committee, requesting NSA's views on H. R. 8865, "Central Security Review Office Act" (to establish a loyalty and security program). I told [] we had also received an inquiry from Ichord and we agreed to consult with one another in preparing our positions. [] commented he thought we should both go for exemption and I told him that had been our position in the past and I assumed it would be our position now.

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[] also mentioned that Chairman Moss was scheduled to begin hearings on the polygraph starting next week.

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